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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ELAB, RP, SN

SUBJECT: BATU MEETING IN SINGAPORE

REF: MANILA A-32

1. FFW PRESIDENT JOHNNY TAN, JUST RETURNED FROM ILO MEETING IN GENEVA AND OTHER EUROPEAN STOPS, TOLD LABATT TODAY HE IS LEAVING COUNTRY AGAIN TO ATTEND BROTHERHOOD OF ASIAN TRADE UNIONISTS (BATU) MEETING IN SINGAPORE JULY 21 - 27. TAN IS ALSO SECRETARY GENERAL OF MANILA-BASED BATU, WORLD CONFEDERATION OF LABOR'S (WCL) REGIONAL BODY IN ASIA.

2. MEETING WILL BE SORT OF MINI-CONGRESS FOLLOW-UP TO BATU CONGRESS LAST DECEMBER IN KONG KONG (SEE REF). ACCORDING TO TAN, DELEGATES WILL ALSO ATTEND SEMINAR ON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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LABOR REALITIES IN ASIA. BECAUSE OF CENTRAL LOCATION,

SINGAPORE CHOSEN DESPITE ITS LESS THAN PROGRESSIVE  
LABOR STANCE.  
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